

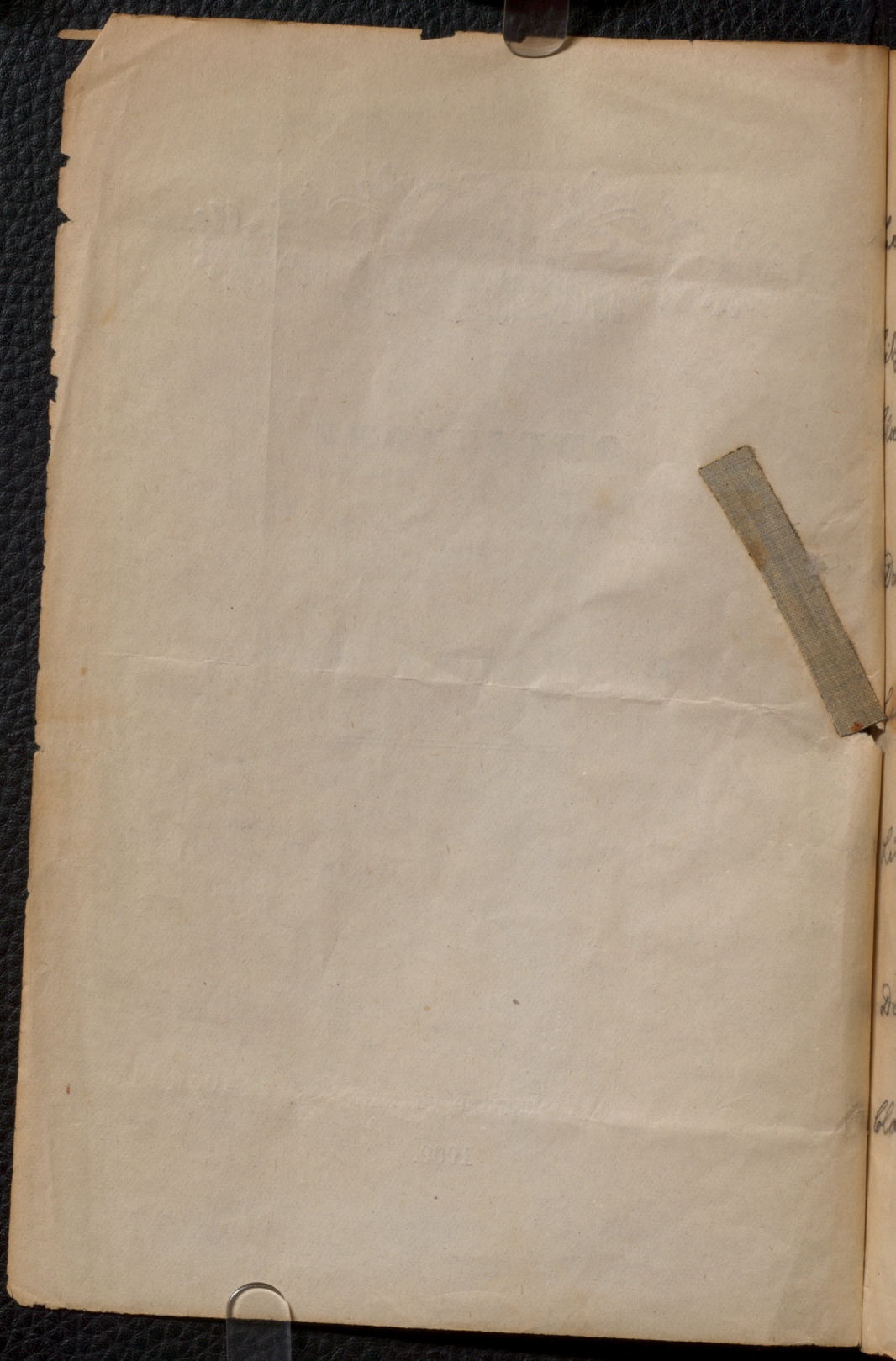
QUESTIONS

for

C o n f i r m a t i o n .

PRINTED IN NAIN (LABRADOR)

1909.



Part I.

Isa. 1. By what name do we know the Creator of all things?
God. God has revealed himself as Father, Son
and Holy Ghost.

Isa. 2. How did God create man?
God created man in His Own image. Gen.1.27.

Isa. 3. How did man lose this image of God?
By Satan inducing our first parents, Adam and
Eve to disobey the command of God. II Cor.11.3.

4. Had their disobedience any influence on all the
human race?

David Yes, for by one man, that is Adam, sin entered into
the world, and death by sin, and so death passed
upon all men. Rom.5.12. All have sinned and
come short of the glory of God. Rom.3.33.

Isa. 5. Therefore, what do we all deserve on account of sin?
All men have deserved God's wrath and punish-
ment, and this punishment is called death, for the
wages of sin is death. Rom.6.23.

Isa. 6. Who is able to deliver us from this curse?
Our Lord Jesus Christ. For God so loved the
world, that He gave His only begotten son, that
whosoever believeth in him, should not perish but
have everlasting life. John 3. 16.

David. 7. Who is Jesus Christ?
Jesus Christ is the son of God, very God and very
man. John 1.14. 1 John 5.20.

Isa. 8. Why did the son of God take upon himself human
nature?
To obtain by his sufferings and death an eternal re-
demption for us. II Cor.5.21. Rom.4.25.

9 For what purpose did Jesus send the Holy Spirit after His death?

To lead men to faith and thus establish a church of believers on earth. John 16.8.11. Acts 2 47.

10. What has the Lord given to his Church in the holy scriptures?

The law and the gospel. John 1. 17.

11. Repeat the ten commandments.

I. Thou shalt love no other Gods before me.

II. Thou shalt not make unto thee any graven image, or any likeness of anything that is in heaven above, or that is in the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth: thou shalt not bow down thyself to them, nor serve them, for I the Lord thy God am a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers upon the children unto the third and fourth generation of them that hate me, and shewig mercy unto thousands of them that love me and keep my commandments.

III. Thou shalt not take the name of the Lord thy God in vain, for the Lord will not hold him guiltless that taketh His name in vain.

IV. Remember the Sabath day to keep it holy. Six days shalt thou labour and do all thy work: but the seventh day is the Sabath of the Lord thy God: in it thou shalt not do any work, thou, nor thy son, nor thy doughter, thy man-servant nor thy maid-servant, nor thy cattle, nor the stranger that is within thy gates, for in six days the Lord made heaven and earth, the sea and all

that in them is, and resteth the seventh day, therefore the Lord blessed the Sabbath day and hallowed it.

V. Honour thy father and thy mother: that thy days may be long upon the land which the Lord thy God giveth thee.

VI. Thou shalt not kill.

VII. Thou shalt not commit adultery.

VIII. Thou shalt not steal.

IX. Thou shalt not bear false witness against thy neighbour.

X. Thou shalt not covet thy neighbour's house, thou shalt not covet thy neighbour's wife, nor his man-servant nor his maid-servant, nor his ox, nor his ass, nor anything that is thy neighbours. Exod. 20.

12. What is the summary of all the commandments of God?

Leah

Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart and with all thy soul and with all thy mind, and thy neighbour as thyself. Math. 22. 37

13. What is the Gospel?

David.

Those doctrines which teach us how we should believe in Christ.

14. Is the Gospel to be preached to all mankind?

Lily

Yes, for Jesus Christ commanded His disciples to go into all the world and preach the Gospel to every creature. Mark 16. 15.

God will have all men to be saved and come to the knowledge of the truth. I Tim. 2. 4.

15. Who are they who attain to the salvation purchased by Christ?

Such only as repent and believe the Gospel.

Mark 1. 15.

16. What is repentance?

A deep conviction and heartfelt sorrow on account of sin, and sincere abhorance of all that is evil. II Cor. 7. 10.

17. What is faith in the Gospel?

Cordially to embrace that faithful saying as worthy of all acception, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners, and that for the sake of his blood and death, our sins are forgiven and life and salvation imparted unto us. 1. Tim. 1. 75. Eph. 1. 7.

18. What blessing do we obtain through faith?

Justification, righteousness, and peace with God for Christ's sake, we are adopted into God's family, and are given the sure hope of eternal life and happiness. Rom. 5. 12.

19. Can we of ourselves exercise this faith?

No for faith is the gift of God. Yet we are to work out our salvation with fear and trembling, for it is God, which worketh in us both to will & to do of his good pleasure. Eph. 2. 8. Phil. 2. 12. 13.

20. How may we abide in the grace once received?

By watching and praying that we enter not into temptation, lest sin rein in our mortal bodies.

Math. 26, 41. Rom. 6. 12.

21. How are we admitted into the visible church of Christ?

By baptism. Acts 2. 41.

Clara.

David.

Leah.

Lily.

Clara

—

Leah

David

22. What is baptism ?

Lily The sacrament or holy rite, instituted by our Lord Jesus Christ immediately before His ascension, as a seal of the covenant of grace.

Mat. 28.

23. What does baptism imply ?

Clara. The answer of a good conscience towards God, the washing of regeneration and renewing of the Holy Ghost which is shed on us abundantly through Jesus Christ our Lord. I Peter 3. 21.

Titus 3. 5. 6.

24. What is the covenant of which this sacrament is the seal?

Leah God promises to us remission of sins and adoption into His family. (Acts 2. 38. Gal. 3. 26. 27. Eph. 5. 25. 26.)

We promise to renounce sin and to live to Christ. Rom. 6. Col. 2. Gal. 2. 20. 24. Eph. 4. 22. 24.

25. In what ordinance is the promise of the forgiveness of sins and the mercy of God renewed and sealed to us?

Lily In the sacrament of the Lord's supper.

26. What is the Lord's supper?

David The sacrament instituted by our Lord Jesus Christ in the same night in which He was betrayed for the continual remembrance of His death. Math. 26. 26. 27. I Cor. 11. 23.

27. What do we receive in this sacrament under the symbols of bread and wine ?

Clara The body and the blood of our Lord Jesus Christ. I Cor. 10 16.

28. What benefits do we derive from the sacrament ?

Leah
We are more closely united with Christ, our faith in Him is strengthened, our love to each other is increased, and we receive a pledge of the forgiveness of our sins and of eternal life.

John 16. 21. I Cor. 10. 17.

29. What is required of those who desire worthily to partake of the Lord's supper ?

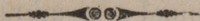
all
That they examine themselves whether they sincerely repent of their faults and transgressions and whether it be their hearts desire to increase in faith and to be perfected in love to God and their neighbour. I Cor. 11. 27 - 29 Heb. 12. 14.

30. What will be the final condition of mankind in eternity ?

all
The wicked who believe not the Gospel, will be condemned by Christ the righteous Judge, and shall go away into everlasting punishment.

The righteous will be received into the heavenly kingdom and will be for ever with the Lord.

Math. 25. 34. 41. I Thess. 4. 17.



Part II.

- all.* 1. Do you with all true Christians, believe in God the Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Chost ?

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord, was conceived by the Holy Chost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried, — He descended into hell, the third day He rose again from the dead, He ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty, — from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost, — the holy catholic Church, — the communion of saints, — the forgiveness of sins, — the resurection of the body and life everlasting. Amen.

- all* 2. Do you acknowledge that you deserve eternal punishment from the most Holy God, on account of the unbelief and indifference of your heart ?

Yes, I do.

all 3. Do you believe that Jesus who died for you has power to release you from sin ?

Yes, I do.

all 4. Do you desire with your whole heart that your sins be forgiven ?

Yes, I do.

all 5. Will you surrender your heart to Jesus to be His property?

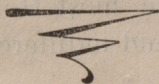
Yes, I will.

6. Do you believe that if you go astray from Jesus, He has power to bring you back again ?

Yes, I do.

7. Is it now in this very hour your earnest desire to commit your heart entirely to Jesus until death?

Yes, it is.



ESK 128



#6155330

